

# The Cumberland Foster Care FACTS

**Based on all children in OOHC on June 05, 2011 Source TWS-W058**

**Statewide Total**

Demographic Indicator	Number	Percent within Region	Number	Percent within State
Total Number of Children in OOHC with Active Placements (note E, F)	660		6,990	
Placed in PCC Foster Homes	71	10.8	2,385	34.1
Placed in PCC Residential	69	10.5	1,037	14.8
Placed in Relative Placement	43	6.5	258	3.7
Total Number placed in DCBS Foster Homes all types (note A)	448	67.9	3,046	43.6
Placed in DCBS Basic and Advanced Foster Homes	384	58.2	2,618	37.5
Placed in DCBS Care Plus or Medically Fragile Homes	46	7.0	250	3.6
Placed in DCBS Adoptive Home	18	2.7	178	2.5
Placed in Detention Center	3	0.5	17	0.2
Placed in Independent Living or Education Setting	6	0.9	81	1.2
Placed in Psychiatric Hospitals	19	2.9	148	2.1
Placed out of state (note B)	7	1.1	96	1.4
<b>Age at First Entry into Foster Care</b>				
Age at First Entry into Foster Care: Less than 1 year	105	15.9	1,185	17.0
Age at First Entry into Foster Care: 1 to < 3 years	92	13.9	958	13.7
Age at First Entry into Foster Care: 3 to < 6 years	112	17.0	1,130	16.2
Age at First Entry into Foster Care: 6 to < 12 years	177	26.8	1,681	24.0
Age at First Entry into Foster Care: 12 to < 18 years	174	26.4	2,033	29.1
<b>Demographics</b>				
African American Children	0	0.0	0	0.0
Children with a Goal of Adoption	97	14.7	1,788	25.6
Children with a Goal of Reunification (note C)	381	57.7	3,450	49.4
Children with a Goal of Emancipation	31	4.7	555	7.9
Average Age of Entry into foster care	7.3		7.5	
Average Age Now	10.4		10.4	
Average # Months in Care at this Point in Time	21.0		24.5	
Average Percent of Life in Care	25.0		28.5	
Average Number of Days to Re-Enter for those with any Re-Entry	835.4		708.4	
Average Number of Placements this Removal Episode	2.8		3.1	
<b>Cost Data</b>				
Number of Children with Per Diem payments listed	568		6,259	
<b>Average Cost Per Day for Child with Per Diem Payments</b>	\$53.16		\$70.82	
<b>Average Cost per Child for Average Months in Care (note D)</b>	\$34,031.88		\$52,767.08	

A. Includes DCBS adoptive homes, basic and advanced, medically fragile homes.

B. Includes relative placements, adoptive homes, treatment facilities, and homes just over the border.

C. Other goals include placement with relatives, planned permanent living or the goals have not been determined.

D. Total costs per child will be higher because children in this number have not exited care.

E. Includes 38 Statewide duplicate placements as 'bed held' during hospital, detention or other short term stays.

F. Includes 6 Regional duplicate placements as 'bed held' during hospital, detention or other short term stays.